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St. James's, November 25.

THE humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, Common-Council, Burgesses, and others of the ancient Corporation of the Town and County of *Haverford-west*, was presented to her Majesty by *John Langharne*, Esq; their Representative in Parliamen, introduced by the Right Honourable Mr. Secretary *Boyle*.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Members of Parliament, Deputy-Recorder, Aldermen, Town-Clerk, Common-Council, Clergy, Gentry, and other Inhabitants of the Borough of *Boston* in the County of *Lincoln*, was Presented to Her Majesty by the Right Honourable *Peregrine Bertie*, Esq; and *Richard Wynne* Esq; their Representatives in Parliament.

Which Addresses her Majesty received very graciously.

Copenhagen, November 16. *N. S.* On the 11th Instant the Fleet sailed out of this Road, and before Noon came to an Anchor on the Coast of Schonen, between Landscroon and Elsinburg, before a small Bay called Raa. That Afternoon they sent out some Boats to observe if the Place were proper for a Descent; and in the Evening his Majesty sailed from hence in his Yatch, and joined the Fleet the next Morning. On the 12th about Noon the Forces began to Land, General Reventlau went in the first Boat, and was followed by two Battalions of Grenadiers, and two of Guards, who landed without Opposition, and that Evening posted themselves in a neighbouring Village. All the Troops were disembarked on the 15th. The Inhabitants of Elsinburg have made their Submission to his Majesty; and it is believed the Troops will halt near that Town, until the Artillery and Ammunition which is to be employed in the Siege of Landscroon is landed. Another Transportation of twelve hundred Dragoons, four hundred Horse, and six hundred Foot, is to be made from Elsinore to Elsinburg; and the heavy Baggage of the Army will be sent by the same Convoy. Yesterday the Queen Mother arrived here; and this Morning the Queen went to Cronenburg, where it is expected the King will land when he returns from his Expedition on Schonen.

Berlin, November 23. *N. S.* His Majesty is returned hither from Marienwerder in perfect Health. The whole Court, who attended him, have received Instances of his Czarish Majesty's Favour, and the Principal Officers Medals and Pictures of considerable value. His Majesty himself received from the Czar a Present of a Sword, and made very magnificent returns to the Russian Court, for the Civilities done by the Czar to that of Prussia. Prince Menzikoff, besides many other Marks of Distinction, had the Honour to have the Order of the Black Eagle conferred upon him; at the same time his Prussian Majesty presented him with a Sword set with Diamonds. Their Majesties took their Leave of each other with repeated Assurances of a perpetual Friendship; but it is not said, that they have formally entred into any new Alliance. The Prince Royal is returned hither from the Low Countries, accompanied by the Princess, his Consort, who met his Highness at Hanover. On the 17th Instant the Prince of Courland arrived here Incognito from the Court of Bareith, on his return to his own Territories, which have long been in the Possession of the Swedes, and have lately been abandoned by them. His Czarish Majesty having concurred with the King of Prussia in the Design of re-establishing that Prince in his Dominions, hath engaged to lend him seventy thousand Crowns. Baron Rantzau is come to this Court, where he is to reside in Quality of Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Denmark. and Monsieur Vanhagen, who before acted here in behalf of his Danish Majesty, is to set out to morrow for Denmark. Advices from Warsaw of the first Instant confirm an Account we formerly had in this Place, that the Swedish Troops who attempted to retreat through Wallachia, were defeated by the Muscovites. King Augustus hath bestowed upon the Son of the late General Oginski all his Father's Possessions, at the instance of the Czar of Muscovy. The Office of Grand General of Lithuania is conferred on the Grand Treasurer Pocicy, and that of Lieutenant-General to Count Denhoff. The Prince Bobruieski-Sapieha and Prince Wiesnowiski had hitherto been possessed of those Commands; but his Czarish Majesty, in regard that they always appeared zealous for the Interest of Sweden, opposed their being received into Grace on any other Terms, than that of being divested of all manner of Power and Command. Last Sunday a Muscovite Prince, whose Name is Kurski, passed thro' this City for the Court of Hanover, from whence he is to continue his Journey to London with the Character of Ambassador from his Czarish Majesty. King Augustus hath appointed Colonel la Brosse to be his Minister at the Court of Great Britain. The Prince of Anhalt-Dessau arrived here Yesterday. Letters from Warsaw of the 9th Instant say, that the Palatine of Kiow, after the Action between him and General Goltz, marched to Cracow; and having raised a Contribution of twelve thousand Crowns in that City, he passed the Vistula, and took the Rout towards Wallachia and Moldavia, where he expects to join the King of Sweden.

Brussels, November 25. *N. S.* The Duke of Arenberg is appointed Grand Bailiff of Hainault, and invested with all the Powers and Privileges of that important Office. Lieutenant-General Cadogan arrived here on the 21st Instant from the Hague. The last Advices from Valenciennes say, that as soon as Count Bergeyck returns to Namur, several Spanish Regiments will be reformed. The Duke of Bavaria is daily expected at that Place, and it is said the late Elector of Cologne designs to set out in a few days from Valenciennes to the Court of France, before he goes to Dinant. Colonel Parpaille is detached towards St. Amand, with a Design to observe some Posts on the Scarpe; and the Enemy have designed to form a Line between Valenciennes and Conde; they are at present employed in throwing up new Works before their Lines near Maubeuge, which Place they are endeavouring to furnish with all things necessary for a Siege; they use all possible Diligence to lay in great Stores of Corn at Valenciennes for the Subsistance of the Troops; but all manner of Grain is at an excessive Price; besides which great Inconvenience, the Soldiers appear in a miserable Condition for want of Cloaths. We have Letters from Madrid of the 4th Instant, which say, that Marshal Staremberg, accompanied by several General Officers, set out from Balaguar on the 22d of the last Month for Barcelona.

Hague, November 29. *N. S.* The States of Holland were reassembled on the 19th Instant, and concluded that Session on the 23d. They are to meet again on the 11th of the ensuing December, to regulate the State of the War for the next Year, there being some Articles to which they have not as yet consented. Monsieur Boismassary and Monsieur Leavingston being suspected of entertaining a Correspondence with the Court of France to the Prejudice of the High Allies, their Persons and Papers were seized by Order of the States: After having been kept under close Confinement in their own Houses for some Days, last Wednesday they were brought to Examination; it is not known whether they have been Convicted of the Crimes laid to their Charge, but their Restraint is continued. Last Saturday Prince Eugene set

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